

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant : Haruo Suenaga *et al.*  
Appln. No. : 10/599,431  
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Title : HIGH-FREQUENCY HEATING DEVICE

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Examiner : Thien S. Tran

Customer No. : 52054  
Docket No. : NGB-41339

Commissioner for Patents  
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**AMENDMENT "D"**  
**SUBMITTED PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. §1.116**

Sir:

This amendment is filed in response to the final Office action dated April 2, 2010. The three-month period for responding to the Office action expires on July 2, 2010. Please charge any fees resulting from this communication for a large entity to Deposit Account No. 16-0820, referencing our Docket No.: NGB-41339. Please amend the above identified application in the following manner:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims that begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 20 of this paper.